New Hope Ministries Update

January 2021

“I just—I couldn’t do it anymore.”

We often hear these sincere words from those we serve at New Hope Ministries. When people hit rock bottom and have nowhere else to go.

Just before Christmas, New Hope announced our second round of emergency response funds for people struggling because of the impact of COVID-19. FOX 43 News visited New Hope to tell our story, and had the opportunity to talk with Tracy, a mom that we have been helping through the pandemic. Tracy relayed her story and said she is a mother of three teenage sons and was going through a rough patch after her father and sister had recently died. On top of that, she lost her job at a long-term care facility due to the pandemic. As a single mom, she found herself unable to financially support her family. “I just—I couldn’t do it anymore,” she said.

Tracy found New Hope Ministries and we helped her with expenses, food for her family and a new job at Giant, which she is enjoying!

You are making a difference in the lives of the people we serve at New Hope, just like Tracy. Thank you for helping to re-write their stories into a happy ending.

Where God guides, He provides.

Isaiah 58:11
We have so many exciting things in store for 2021! Stay tuned for our virtual grand opening dedication for our new Enola Center!

As we begin our new season of love and hope for our neighbors in need, please consider blessing any of our 8 centers with food pantry items that have been depleted from the busy holidays. God bless your loving support!

**Food Pantry Grocery List**

- Canned meats (chicken, tuna, beef stew)
- Canned vegetables and fruits
- Peanut butter
- Dry milk or any milk
- Boxed meal mixes (chicken helpers; home style bakes)
- Canned ravioli or other canned pasta
- Any type of condiments
- Pudding or Jell-O
- Instant potatoes; rice mixes; canned soup
- Infant formula
- Breakfast cereals and pancake mix, instant oatmeal, pancake syrup
- Flour; sugar; brown sugar, oil, spray
- Coffee, tea, iced tea mix
- Pasta, Mac & cheese, etc.
- Jelly or jam
- Juice and juice boxes
- Saltine crackers; snack crackers
- Deodorant (men’s and women's)
- Shampoo
- Dish soap
- Shaving cream
- Disposable razors (men’s and women’s)
- Toothbrushes
- Toilet paper; paper towels
- Bar soap; shampoo; deodorant
- Toothpaste
- Laundry detergent
- Feminine hygiene products
- Diapers, wipes, diaper cream